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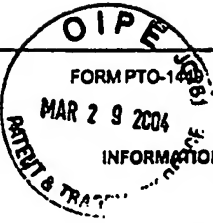
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	5	4,819,620	04/11/89	Okutsu			
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	7	4,984,564	01/15/91	Yuen			
	8	5,025,778	06/25/91	Silverstein et al.			
	9	5,131,382	07/21/92	Meyer			
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	11	5,163,949	11/17/92	Bonutti			
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	20	5,354,302	10/11/94	Ko			
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	23	5,395,317	03/07/95	Kamblin			
	24	5,439,464	08/08/95	Shapiro			
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